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DEATHS OF STATESMEN.

WHAT A CONGRESSMAN THINKS OF THE FUNERALS OF HIS FELLOWS.

A Queer Interview—Bright's Disease a Common One—Suicides and Public Men. Congressmen's Coffins and Their Costly Funerals—The Best Time to Die.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Each statesman has a hobby, and it is funny how curious some of these hobbies are. Scott, of Pennsylvania, is wrapped up in horses. Leland Stanford can talk by the hour on horse breeding, and Senator Kenna likes nothing better than developing an instantaneous photograph. Ex-Congressman Belford, "the Red Headed Rooster of the Rockies," notwithstanding his bibulous tendencies, had a hobby of theological study, and the same is true of Judge E. B. Taylor, of Ohio. Judge Taylor knows all about the religions of the past and present. He can tell you just what each tribe on the face of the globe now worship, and he is not so illiberal but that he finds some good in all. Gen. Logan was also fond of theology, but he ran more to biblical study than to the study of the sacred books of other religions. He was proud of being the possessor of one of the lost copies of the rare books of Jeshur, and his library would be a valuable addition to a theological seminary.

One of the queerest hobbies, however, in congressional study is that of a western congressman whom nature cut out for an undertaker, but who was by a good education and a bright mind forced into politics. He has been in the house for a number of terms. He has a good national reputation, and were I permitted to give his name this phase of his character would be a surprise to all but his most intimate acquaintances. Said he to me last night:

"Death and burial has always had a curious fascination for me. I attend more funerals, perhaps, than any man in the house or senate, and I could give you an outline of the history of funerals in the past. I know all about cremation as it is practiced by the Hindoos and the Siamese, and I have pictures at my house illustrating the method of embalming used by the different nations of the past. I believe I could give a receipt for embalming fluid off hand, and I have never studied medicine or worked in a drug store. I have visited, perhaps, more tombs than any other public man. I have wept over the remains of Abelard and Heloise in the Pere la Chaise in Paris. I have stood above the dust of Dante in Florence, have spent hours in wandering among the monuments in Westminster Abbey, and have examined the interiors of the pyramids with a magnesium light. I can tell you, perhaps, as much about the deaths of noted men as any other public man, and I have a necrology in the shape of a blank book which I have filled with clippings about how great men have died. I shall die myself some day, and I have given direction that my obituary shall close the volume."

"What disease carries off more public men than any other?" I asked.

"I should say," replied the statesman, "Bright's disease of the kidneys. A careful diagnosis shows that this has more to do with our great funerals than any other. The public man of the United States lives high. Here at Washington he gets in the habit of wining and dining, he disturbs his stomach with highly spiced terrapin and heats his liver with cold champagne. This was the cause of Salmon P. Chase's taking off. He might have lived to a ripe old age had he stuck to the cold water temperance diet of Waukesha springs. He went to Waukesha a few years before he died, when he was in a bad way. By eating oatmeal, beefsteak and drinking pure water he rapidly improved and he soon regained his old vigor. He came back to Washington and his table, and it was a table that fixed disease upon him. It was the same with Senator Anthony, of Rhode Island. Anthony stood the big dinners of Washington for nearly a generation, but they carried him off at last. He was one of the greatest epicures we have ever had, and he and Ben: Perley Poore had their happiest liqours when their legs were under some other man's mahogany. Poore had enough bills of fare in his memento collections to have started a paper mill, and he used to smack his lips when he told the story of the good dinners he had eaten. There are a number of the leading public men of the United States who are afflicted with Bright's disease today. They say little about it, however, and as a rule they do not appreciate that it is carrying them closer and closer to the grave.

"Heart disease," continued the obituary statesman, "has carried off a good many men. It was this that killed Senator Fenton a few years ago. He died at his desk while reading his correspondence. Sheridan's trouble is heart disease, and Marcy, who was a former secretary of war, was found dead with a volume of poems in his hand, and it was heart disease that killed him. George Washington died from catching cold. His chest was hollow, and it was his out of door life that kept him from consumption. Numerous public men have died of cancers, and this disease seems to be constantly on the increase. I know of an Illinois congressman who has a cancer on his throat, and the death of Gen. Grant and the Emperor Frederick are too recent to need mention. Judge Kelley had a cancer in his cheek some years ago, and it came from smoking. He had it cut out, however, and he is now as good as he was forty years ago and does more work than he did then.

"Another disease which has carried off many a bright man is suicide. Yes, I call suicide a disease, and I don't believe any man in good health ever attempts it. Take Preston King, whose body was found floating in the river near New York with a twenty-five pound bag of shot attached to it. King was too fat to be healthy. He weighed between three and four hundred pounds, and they had to have an extra large chair for his use. the senate. It was said that he died from the annoyances of office seekers, but I don't believe it. He was sick and morbid and the disease caused him to commit suicide. Hise, of Kentucky, I know very well. He worked himself to death, and it was his low spirit that brought on his felo de se."

"How about Edwin M. Stanton?"

"I don't believe Stanton committed suicide. His character was too strong to permit him to do so, and the evidences are that his throat was not cut as was stated. I have talked with the man who had charge of his body, and he tells me his throat was as whole as yours is today."

"What do you think of statesmen's funerals and of the government paying the cost?"

"I think they are all right, and if we politicians leave our homes and come here to work for the government at Washington it ought to at least do as much as the Chinese immigration companies, and take us back and bury us in case we die in the service. The cost of these congressional funerals has been over estimated, and even if it does cost from $1,000 to $10,000, to bury the average congressman, think of the surplus in the treasury and congratulate yourself that this

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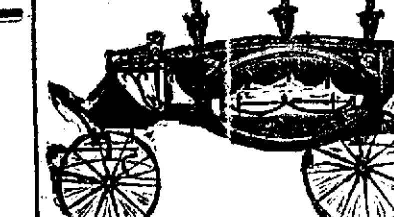

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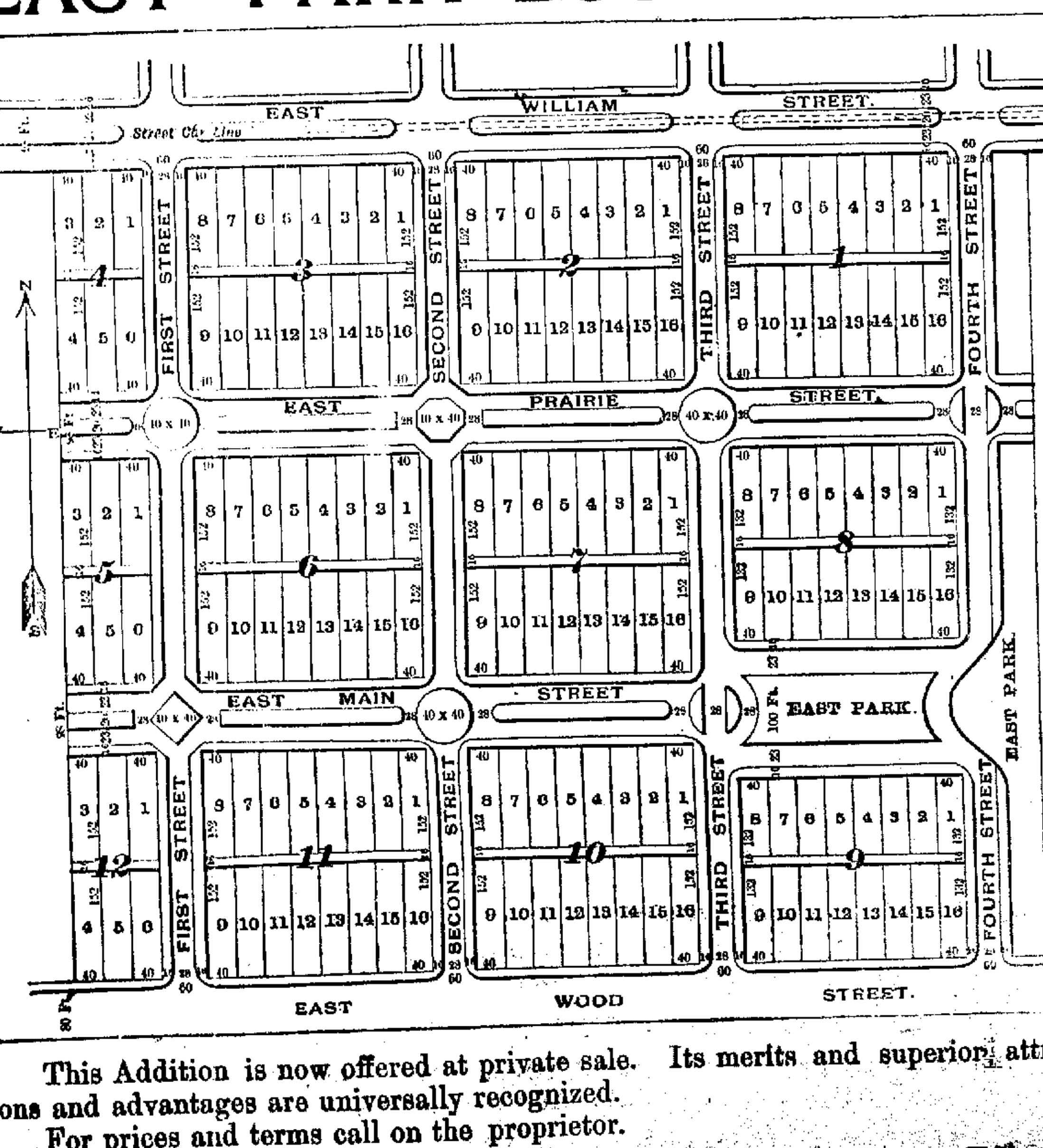

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July 26-d&wtf

Publication Notice in Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court—To the September Term, A. D. 1888.

Christena H. Stewart vs. Pleasant H. Stewart—In Chancery. Bill for Divorce.

Notice is hereby given to you, the said Pleasant H. Stewart, respondent in the above entitled cause, that Christena H. Stewart, the complainant, in said cause, has heretofore filed in said court, on the chancery side thereof, her bill of complaint against you, the said respondent, for a divorce; and that thereupon a summons in chancery issued out of said court against you, the said Pleasant H. Stewart, in said cause, returnable at the court house of said county, in the city of Decatur, on the first day of the next term of said court, to-wit, on the Fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1888; and that said suit is still pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. T. CUSSINS, Complainant's Solicitor.
july25-d4w

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one special execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Marshall Field, Lorenzo G. Woodhouse, Harlow N. Higinbotham, Joseph N. Field and John G. McWilliams, partners in trade under the firm name of Marshall Field & Co., and against George W. Cowles, I will expose to sale the following property, to-wit: Lot twelve (12), in block two (2), in E. B. Durfee's First Addition to the City of Decatur, taken as property of the said George W. Cowles, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1888, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 2nd day of August, A. D. 1888.
J. H. MAUZY,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.
aug2-d3wks

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Daniel H. Heilman and Edgar W. Heilman, partners, as D. H. Heilman & Son, and against Emily V. Trainer, I will expose to sale the following property to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, all in Section Twenty (20), Township Fifteen (15), North Range [illegible] East of the Third Principal Meridian, taken as property of the said Emily V. Trainer, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1888, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 2d day of August, A. D. 1888.
J. H. MAUZY,
aug2-d3w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

Sealed Bids.

Public Notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of East Eldorado street, from the east rail of the main track of the Illinois Central Railroad east to the city limits, by curbing, grading, graveling, guttering, and paving with brick according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1888, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Illinois, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 20th day of August, A. D. 1888, for the labor and for the materials for said improvement, and for the entire improvement, including labor and materials. A sample of brick to be used must be filed with bids. All bids when received will be submitted to the City Council for its action.

The time for receiving bids at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Illinois, for the improvement of East Eldorado street, has been [illegible] until 4 o'clock p. m. of MONDAY, the [illegible] day of September, 1888.

aug21-dtd F. C. [illegible], City Clerk.

Administrators' Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the County Court to the September Term, A. D., 1888.

In the matter of the Estate of David Florey, Deceased.

To the heirs, devisees, legatees, creditors and distributees of the estate of David Florey, late of said county, deceased:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Administrators of the Estate of David Florey, deceased, will on the first Monday of the September Term, A. D. 1888, of the County Court of said county, or as soon thereafter as we can be heard, present to said Court a final report of our acts and doings as such Administrators and ask to be discharged.

WM. A. BROOKS,
JOHN P. DILLING,
Administrators.
I. A. BUCKINGHAM, Att'y for Ad'm'rs.
Aug16-d3w

Notice.

To Whom It May Concern:

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will make application to the city council, at its regular meeting, September 3, 1888, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors in a building located on lot 11, block 4, Rolling Mill Addition to Decatur, and known as No. 1298 East Eldorado street. Said building is owned by Margaret Condon.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
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For Congress,
JONATHAN H ROWELL, of McLean County

Member of the Board of Equalization,
WILLIAM O JONES of Logan County

The Conference.

The colored people of Decatur are to be congratulated upon the manner in which they entertained their conference guests, and the conference is to be congratulated upon the impression it made upon the people generally Everybody has a good word to say for the preachers, and the congregations of the city churches whose pulpits were occupied by colored preachers on Sunday were uniformly pleased by the sermons. All unite in saying that the sermons of Bishops Brown and Arnett would have done credit to the celebrities of any denomination that has ever held its anniversaries in Decatur and there is scarcely any limit to the good that may result from the opportunity thus afforded our people to hear the great lights of the colored race The truth has been brought home to our people by being thus forced upon their attention, that the race so long held in bondage is as capable of mental and moral advancement as any other division of the human family, and that all it requires is the opportunity to work out its own destiny The results of the conference will not fail to redound to the benefit of the colored race and to the broadening of the views of the white people

THURMAN was at Port Huron, Mich, yesterday babbling about the tariff, and declaring that protection is a humbug from beginning to end Before he gets back to Ohio Mr Thurman will visit Chicago, and probably do other very unwise and unprofitable things

FROM fifteen to eighteen straight-out Democrats in Creek Nation township, De Witt county, have declared for Harrison and protection One prohibitionist in Friends Creek township Macon county, says he will support Harrison and Morton, and one Democrat says he cannot support Cleveland on his anti-tariff message.

CLEVELAND'S letter of acceptance, it is now claimed, will shortly be made public, time enough having elapsed for its transmission to England and return This, of course, is based upon the supposition that it is acceptable to the English critics to whom it was submitted But if they are not entirely satisfied with its tone it will require another month to send the revised edition over for approval and return

MAJ. WM McKINLEY, JR, of Ohio made his protection speech at the Atlanta Chautauqua yesterday to an immense audience, comprising many of the most eminent citizens of Georgia He discussed protection from an absolutely non-partisan standpoint, and not once mentioned the Republican or Democratic party. He quoted from many of the founders of the government, to show that the principle of protection was recognized and approved by those who stood by the cradle of the Republic.

ROBERT T LINCOLN reached New York on Sunday from his trip to Europe, whither he was accompanied by his daughter, Mary To an interviewer he stated that he had gone abroad merely for recreation, that he should make some speeches in the campaign, and that Harrison and Morton would surely win in November. He said "I went abroad a protectionist, and return more strongly imbued than ever with sound Republican doctrine One cannot go through the highways and byways of Europe with open eyes and be anything else than a protectionist, if he is an American to my way of thinking. Why, the nomination of Cleveland was received all over England with a great hurrah They are pretty much all free trade Democrats over there. But we are going to disappoint them by electing Harrison and Morton and protection The Nation will then continue in its gigantic strides toward prosperity, and home industries will be carefully fostered. We cannot afford to throw open our doors to the products of the cheap pauper labor of Europe." Mr. Lincoln returns in the most robust health, and is as brown as a berry from his exposure to the air

A Man of Millions, Seriously But Not Dangerously Injured

BRIDGEPORT, Conn, Aug 22 —Joseph Richardson, estimated to be worth $12,000,000, came very near being killed in the long tunnel of the Harlem railroad in New York, Sunday He was superintending repairs to the tunnel when two trains approached from opposite directions. The engine of one struck him, throwing him three rods He landed close against the side of the tunnel, just clear of the wheels of the passenger train He was picked up and brought to this city

Jos Richardson was a near friend of the late Wm H Vanderbilt He built the annex to the Grand Central station, the Fourth Avenue horse railway stables, and did other important work for Vanderbilt. He built a railroad for Brigham Young, and is well-known in financial circles He lives on Lexington avenue in New York in a four-story house but eight feet wide In this house he keeps his coffin, made from the wood of a favorite apple-tree. The same coffin was used in his Bridgeport home for many years in his living room as a pleasant place in which to keep preserves and canned fruits. Since Mr Richardson married his second wife he has removed his coffin to New York. After the accident yesterday Mr. Richardson was conveyed to his home here. He is seriously hurt, but hopes to be fully recovered in a few days

The light[illegible] in town is [illegible] daw

THE LEADING QUESTION.

Representative McKinley Before the Chautauqua Assembly at Augusta, Georgia.

Discusses the Tariff From the Protection Standpoint, Furnishing Some Food for Reflection.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug 22.—Yesterday was a great day at the Chautauqua assembly. The grounds were filled with people, the majority of them representing agricultural interests The event was the speech of Representative McKinley, who had come from Washington to address the people on the advantages of a protective policy Among the large audience were some of the most distinguished citizens of Georgia.

Major McKinley was introduced by Judge Howard Van Epps, and was welcomely received

Major McKinley having thanked the Piedmont Society for the courtesy of its invitation, said that he had come to address them upon a public question of great National import, which concerns not only the prosperity of one section but all sections of our common country and which is of commanding interest to our sixty millions of people The different theories of taxation have an interest now which they have never possessed before Public thought is awakened, and the citizen is investigating for himself Frank discussion and thoughtful consideration of the two conflicting theories are therefore demanded in the present state of the public mind as well as the condition of our National treasury There are some things upon which all are in accord, and which are so manifest as to require no argument or amplification They are admitted facts Among them are that the United States has no income except what it secures by taxes collected from its people It must collect its money, whatever may be its actual requirements either by direct taxes or by duties on its imports The American sentiment is practically unanimous in favor of raising at least a large share of the revenue for the Government by levying duties upon foreign importations.

Free traders so called or to be more exact, the advocates of a revenue tariff, believing with the other school of political economists in import duties insist that duties shall be levied upon that class of foreign products which are not produced in the United States, the principle being that revenue is the sole and only object of such taxation, and that a duty levied upon such foreign products as have little or no home competition, will secure the largest revenue with the smallest rate of duty An illustration familiar to all of you are the products of tea and coffee

If however, the duty is levied upon the foreign competing product, it is made so low, having revenue only in view that the effect is to destroy home competition and increase the revenue therefrom by increasing importation. Hon J Randolph Tucker of Virginia, an eminent lawyer and experienced statesman, in a speech delivered in the House of Representatives, May 18 1878 defined a revenue duty as follows "Therefore as no higher duty ought to be laid than is needed to raise the requisite revenue on any particular article It follows that the true revenue duty is the lowest duty which will bring the required revenue"

This definition is a fair and frank one and I accept it A revenue tariff is therefore such a one as will produce the largest revenue from the lowest duty The lowest rate of duty will encourage importations diminish home production and inevitably increase the revenue It will of necessity check competition at home and send our merchants abroad to buy It affords no protection not even incidental A revenue tariff is inconsistent with protection, it is intended for a wholly different purpose It loses its force and character as a genuine revenue tariff when it becomes to any extent protective It has but one object it can have but one effect—that of opening up our markets to the foreign producer—impoverishing the home producer and enriching his foreign rival England is more nearly a free trade country than any other and her system of taxation furnishes an admirable example of the practice and principle of a revenue tariff Her import duties are imposed almost exclusively upon articles which can not be produced by her own people upon her own soil while practically all competing products of foreign make and production are admitted through her custom houses free of duty It will be observed that her duties are more largely imposed upon peculiarly American products than upon any others The duty upon tobacco is, according to moisture from eighty four to ninety two cents per pound for the raw or unmanufactured article The manufactured article is made dutiable at twenty cents a pound greater than the raw product which with all of England's boasted free trade is intended as a protection to those engaged in the manipulation of tobacco It is almost prohibitive to Americans who would export manufactured tobacco Another example of this protection is found in coffee and cocoa More than ninety six million dollars, or nearly one fourth of the British revenues are raised from customs duties You will note the character of taxation to which the revenue reformer invites the people of the United States Both the breakfast table and the sick room are made to bear a large part of the burden under the British system of taxation It is not without significance that the nearer we approach this system the more generous the bestowal of British commendation It is in vain for the British statesman to assure us that their system is best for us "It is folly," said Washington in his Farewell Address "in one nation to look for disinterested favors from another that it must pay with a portion of its independence for whatever it may accept under that character There can be no greater error than to expect or calculate upon real favors from nation to nation, it is an illusion which experience must cure and which a just pride ought to discard

The other theory of taxation and one which I believe to be essential to American development and National prosperity is based upon an exactly opposite principle It permits all articles of foreign production whether of the field the factory or the mine, excepting luxuries only which we can not produce in the United States, to enter our ports free and unburdened by custom house exactions The duty is to be imposed upon the foreign competing product—that is the product which if brought into this country would contend with the products of our own soil, our own labor and our own factories in our own markets This mode of levying duties answers a double purpose A revenue tariff accomplishes but a single purpose—that of raising revenue It has no other mission while a protective tariff accomplishes this and more It brings revenue to the American treasury and discriminates in favor of the American citizen A revenue tariff invites the product of foreign labor and foreign capital to occupy our markets free and unrestrained in competition with the product of our labor and capital A protective tariff says to the world of producers "If you want to share with the citizens of the United States their home market you must pay for the privilege of doing it Your products shall not enter in free and unrestrained competition with the product of our own people, but shall be discriminated against to such an extent as to fully protect and defend our own"

Hon Alexander Smith, a distinguished citizen of your own State and endeared to the people of the South stated on June 23, 1882, the theory so well that I beg to quote from him 'The best way to raise revenue is by duties upon imports They bear less heavily on the tax payers and as legislators that is what we should look to In levying duties on imports you can at the same time make foreign producers pay for the use of your markets and in that way incidentally and properly give aid and protection to American industries It is not true as a general proposition that the consumer pays all the duty imposed upon commodities brought from other countries This is a question that I can not now argue In most instances, where the duties are judiciously laid, they are borne partly by the consumer and partly by the importer It is alleged as a serious objection to protective duties that the tax, whatever it may be, increases the cost of the foreign as well as the domestic product to the extent of such tax or duty, and that it is wholly paid by the consumer This objection would be worthy of consideration if it were true There is not in the long line of staple products consumed by the people a single one which has not been cheapened by competition at home, made possible by protective duties Exactly the opposite is true of revenue tariffs They are always paid by the consumer Supposing for instance, there was a tax upon tea and coffee There being no production of these articles in the United States, and therefore no competition the cost to the American public would be the cost abroad and the duty added We imported last year 526 480,000 pounds of coffee A duty of ten cents a pound would have produced to the Government over $52,000 000, which would have been paid by the twelve million families of this country consumers of this article The duty collected from imported sugar amounted to $58,000 000 The domestic production was so inconsiderable as compared with the domestic consumption as to have had little, if any appreciable effect upon the price to the consumer and therefore this sum was almost wholly paid by our own citizens and the cost of sugar to the American consumer because of the inadequate home supply, is practically the foreign price, duty added

If you take any American production which is large enough to supply the domestic demand, the effect is different Then the foreign production must undersell his home production in order to get a foothold in this market, and therefore the foreign producer is willing to surrender the whole duty or a considerable part of it consenting to take less profits for the sake of extending his markets with the hope of ultimately destroying home competition The real question therefore, is whether in raising money to supply the Government needs we should have thoughtful concern of the industrial interests of the people we represent, or discarding every other consideration shall adjust our duties upon the revenue principle to secure revenue and revenue only The protective system but invokes the highest law of nature, that of self preservation There is every reason, founded in justice, why the American producer should in every constitutional way be favored as against the foreign producer whose products compete with his This is our natural market We have made it. We have made it after a century of struggle. We have made it at a cost of capital and brain and muscle We have preserved it against foreign wars and domestic conflicts, at great sacrifice of men and money The foreign producer has contributed nothing to the growth or development of the country, and in the case of a revenue tariff his product never bears the burden Whatever we put upon it is borne by our own people and in no wise shared by him This principle of caring for our own is founded on the highest authority, human and divine It commences with the family extends up through the community to the state, and at last to the nations There is no citizen in the country in any section that does not involve this principle in the administration of municipal government for protection and encouragement of its own citizens The itinerant vender is taxed in every city of the land If he would expose his wares upon the streets of Atlanta at public auction I doubt not the city government would compel him to pay a tax for a privilege of doing it and that tax is added to the ordinary revenues of the city to assist in meeting its obligations and this is done upon exactly the same principle that we tax the foreign competing product under our system of protection It is done to protect and defend the resident merchants of your city who are with you always, within your jurisdiction, subject to your laws, contributing to the wealth and progress of your city paying taxes to adorn and beautify it, paying tax to support your public schools and make public improvements The itinerant vender has no such relation to your community He is no part of your political organism, he comes and goes he is not a tax payer, he shares in none of the burdens of your people he is a free trader, who looks upon your market as his and as open to him as your own trade and speech Your city government taxes him to diminish the burdens borne by your own citizens This is protection simple and pure and is the exact character of that which we would apply to foreign nations seeking our markets The revenue tariff periods of our history have been the periods of greatest financial revulsion and industrial decadence of want and poverty among the people private enterprises checked and public works retarded

From 1833 to 1842 under the low tariff legislation then prevailing business was at a stand still, and our merchants and traders were bankrupted our industries were paralyzed, our labor remained idle and our capital was unemployed Foreign products crowded our markets destroyed domestic competition and as invariably follows the price of commodities to consumers were appreciably raised It is an instructive fact that every panic this country has ever experienced has been preceded by enormous importations

From 1846 to 1861 a similar situation was presented under the low tariff of that period There was but a single year in which the balance of trade was not against us during the last thirteen years

Under a protective tariff on the contrary the balance of trade was in our favor with the exception of one year This contrast Mr McKinley insisted makes an interesting exhibit of the work under the system He quoted instances to show our wonderful growth and said it would have been impossible under a revenue tariff He said the South was wonderfully rich in raw materials and her own skilled labor should be employed in turning them into manufactures He discussed the objection to the protective system that it hindered the foreign trade by making raw material more costly This he said was not so because drawbacks were allowed to exports equal to ninety percent of any duty that they had paid on raw materials Free raw materials could not always secure an export trade as was shown in the leather business only two per cent of the manufactured article being exported Mr McKinley declared that the home market was best Protection insured work for the American laborer and was in the interest of the people as against the moneyed classes

In conclusion he said the protective system must stand as a whole or fall It must be protection for all interests requiring it or it must be free trade or a revenue tariff and rest alike on all classes and portions of the country It was not a sectional question, and its settlement should be influenced by patriotism, National interests and National pride

A QUIET SENDOFF.

General Harrison and His Party Start for Middle Bass Island

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind, Aug 22 —The departure of General Harrison yesterday morning for Middle Bass Island, was attended by no demonstrations, as he and his party, consisting of Mrs Harrison, Judge Woods of the United States District Court and wife, W H H Miller, the General's law partner, and Mr Miller's son, were driven at seven o'clock to the Massachusetts Avenue station. There was no crowd there, and in a few minutes the party were on their way to the lakes Mr. Miller is the General's private secretary for the time-being.

Opium Smugglers Arrested.

CHICAGO, Aug 22 —It has just been learned that special agents of the Treasury Department on Friday arrested a man named E W Brown, in a room on Harrison street, who had in his possession 125 pounds of opium, supposed to have been smuggled The custom-house authorities are very reticent in regard to the matter, but do not deny that they consider the arrest of the highest importance It is said it will lead to the exposure and arrest of a large gang of opium smugglers who have been in the business for years, and who have a large capital invested in it.

LYON'S LEAP.

The Murderer of Athlete Quinn Pays the Penalty of His Crime.

An Early Morning Hanging in the Tombs Inclosure—Cool to the Last.

History of the Crime Which Brought a Checkered Career to an Untimely Close

NEW YORK, Aug 21 —Daniel Lyons was hanged this morning in the yard of the Tombs prison The drop fell precisely at fifteen minutes past seven o'clock

The life of a human being was once of little value in the eyes of Daniel Lyons, and though he had been guilty of many misdeeds, he has been punished for one crime, that of killing Joseph J Quinn, July 5, 1887 For this murder Lyons was sentenced to be hanged in the Tombs yard between seven and eight o'clock this morning He had been a "tough" all his life, and even gloried in that fact, for he was a useful man toward politicians on election day, and they got him out of many shooting scrapes and stabbing affrays Lyons used a pistol or a knife on the slightest provocation The politicians could not save him, however, when he did a job of housebreaking, and he served eighteen months in the State prison He was not in the least reformed, for right after that he was concerned in a highway robbery, for which he passed two years of his time in the penitentiary He had not been out six months when he shot and killed Quinn Even at the Tombs Lyons planned a murder Dan Driscoll, the leader of a bad gang, who was executed six months ago and Lyons occupied adjoining cells in murderers' row They removed the iron bars at their cell window, and only waited for a nightfall to climb through the window, and, armed with the bars, were ready to take the life of the keeper on duty in the yard It would have been easy then to climb the walls and make their escape Mrs Lyons Dan's mother, informed "Fatty" Walsh, who was then warden, of the plot and it was frustrated The gallows was erected yesterday, and the hammering awoke Lyons from his sleep He immediately fell on his knees and prayed for half an hour Then the undertaker arrived, and Lyons, in the most matter-of-fact way told him to fix up the black scar around his neck nicely after death, and said he wanted to be buried in Calvary cemetery before three o'clock in the afternoon. He did not want any such highfalutin nonsense as a wake over his body

The crime for which Lyons to-day paid the death penalty was the murder of Joseph J Quinn on the evening of July 5, 1887 Lyons shot Quinn in the abdomen while engaged in conversation on the corner of Thirty-eighth street and Second avenue The shooting grew out of a quarrel that Lyons had with a letter-carrier named Meehan over a girl named Kate Cassidy At a picnic held on May 30 Lyons resented the attentions that Meehan showed the girl In the quarrel that followed, Quinn took Meehan's part and wanted Lyons to apologize, but Lyons refused On the evening of July 4 the quarrel was renewed fresh insults being exchanged on both sides, and Quinn assaulted Lyons in a brutal manner At the trial three girls who were familiar with both men, testified that they heard Lyons threaten that night, after he had been beaten by Quinn, to "get even" the next night, and one of them testified that Lyons swore that he would "put a ball" in Quinn the next day Wm Meehan also testified to Lyons having made threats against Quinn On the Fourth of July Lyons borrowed a pistol, and laid in wait for Quinn shooting him the next evening Lyons was captured about three weeks after the murder, in Pittsburgh At the trial the jury found him guilty, after being out three-quarters of an hour Recorder Smythe sentenced him to be hanged on November 27, 1887, but the case was appealed On February 14 the Court of Appeals decided against him, and last month Lyons was re-sentenced to be hanged on Friday last Governor Hill granted a stay, however until to-day.

THE FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

(First Session).

SENATE

WASHINGTON Aug 21 —After the reading of the journal Mr Morgan took the floor and closed the debate on the treaty He concluded his speech with an eloquent peroration upon the prospects of trouble with Great Britain after the treaty is rejected and his finishing remarks were a prophecy that when the exigency of war occurred the party which caused it would find the party which had advocated the treaty just as true as to the flag and just as ready to shed its blood for the country as they

At twelve o clock the gavel fell Mr Morgan took his seat and the debate ended It was expected that a vote would be taken at once upon the pending motions amendments and the resolution of ratification but Mr McPherson delayed action for half an hour by calling up the concurrent resolution accepting for Statuary Hall the statues of General Phil Kearney and Richard Stockton of New Jersey After eulogistic remarks by Senators McPherson and Blodgett on the lives of these two prominent men the resolution was adopted

The treaty was again taken up and at one o'clock the first vote was taken upon the motion of Mr Gibson to recommit the treaty to the committee on foreign relations with instructions to frame and report amendments to the treaty to prevent ambiguties in the construction put upon the articles of the treaty or to report a measure of arbitration This motion was lost by a vote of 31 nays to 29 yeas

The treaty was then read by sections A vote was then taken on an amendment to the eleventh article offered by Mr Gray providing that on all occasions facilities shall be accorded to United States fishing vessels in Canadian ports for the purchase of needful provisions and supplies This was rejected—yeas, 28 nays 8)

No other amendments were offered, and a vote was taken on the formal resolution of ratification and it was defeated—yeas 28 nays 30—a strict party vote which in detail was as follows Yeas—Messrs Bate, Beck, Berry, Blackburn Blodgett Brown Cockrell Coke Colquitt, Daniel Faulkner, George, Gorman Gray Hampton, Harris, Jones (Ark), McPherson Morgan Pasco Payne, Pugh, Ransom, Reagan Vest Walthall and Wilson (Md)

Nays—Messrs Aldrich Allison, Blair, Chace Chandler Dawes, Dolph Edmunds, Evarts Farwell, Frye, Hale Hawley, Hiscock, Hoar Ingalls Jones, Manderson Mitchell, Platt Plumb, Quay, Sabin Sawyer, Sherman Spooner, Stewart, Stockbridge Teller and Wilson (Ia)

Mr Morgan moved that the President be notified of the action of the Senate and it was so ordered

The Senate then proceeded to legislative business

Mr Platt introduced a bill to pension the widows of soldiers without reference to cause of the soldier's death, provided they were married during the military service of the soldier.

Mr Stewart made a personal explanation denying published reports that an amendment which he had recently proposed to an appropriation bill was in the interest of mining corporations

Mr Morgan said he proposed to ask the Senate to-morrow to take up the bill relating to the debt of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, and Mr Platt said he would insist on the Washington, Montana and Dakota Territorial Admission bill being considered as soon as the Jackson (Miss) and Louisiana election matters were disposed of

The House amendment to the Chinese Emigration Restriction bill was concurred in

The conference report on the Naval Appropriation bill was presented and agreed to

The Senate then passed a large number of private pension bills and after a short secret session, at 5 30 p m adjourned

HOUSE

Mr Lyman (Ind) obtained the floor by unanimous consent to make a statement in explanation of his course in obstructing legislation He said that he would not oppose consideration of the Deficiency bill because the soldiers were interested in its passage

At the conclusion of Mr Lyman's remarks, Mr McMillan asked unanimous consent to make a statement, but Mr Lyman objected

There was quite a scene for a moment, Mr McMillan accusing Mr Lyman of discourtesy

At its conclusion, the Deficiency bill was taken up with the understanding that it was to be debated two hours

Discussion of the French spoliation claims section of bill was resumed

Mr Seney (O) opposed their payment, and advocated the appeal of the cases to the Supreme Court of the United States for adjudication

Pending discussion of this section the committee rose and the House proceeded as the special order to the consideration of the resolution accepting on behalf of Congress, the statues of Richard Stockton and General Phil Kearney presented by the State of New Jersey to be placed in Statuary Hall

Eloquent tributes to the memory of Stockton and Kearney were delivered by Messrs Phelps, Morrow, Buchanan Cox and Kean

The resolutions were then adopted and the House resumed in committee of the whole the consideration of the Deficiency bill

Mr Dibble resumed his speech in support of of the payment of claims

Pending further discussion, the House at five o clock adjourned

FOREIGN NEWS.

The English Press on the Sudden Return to Prominence of General Boulanger.

The Belfast Shipwrights' Strike—Archbishop Croke's Donation—The Wheat Crop in Russia.

England

BOULANGER'S VICTORY.

LONDON, Aug 22 —The English press devote a great deal of space to comments on General Boulanger's political victories, thus indicating the gravity with which that turbulent character's return to prominence is regarded

The *Times* calls attention to the fact that all three of the seats to which Boulanger has been elected were vacated by Conservatives, and expresses the opinion that therefore any candidate put forward as an opponent to the government could have been elected This fact, the *Times* believes insures the return of anti-ministerialists to the two seats remaining unfilled after Boulanger has made his choice of the constituency he will represent. The peace of the republic has doubtless been endangered by Boulanger's being brought vividly before the minds of volatile Frenchmen, but there is hope that the good sense of the people may come to the country's rescue

The *Standard* says Boulanger's success may weaken the republic, but it can not destroy it

The *Pall Mall Gazette* appeals to the ministers not to lose their heads in the present emergency, but admits that they can not fail to see the handwriting on the wall in the majorities polled against the government.

The *Star* says that great though inarticulate murmurs of political and social discontent shape themselves in Boulangerism and its follies

Russia

THE WHEAT CROP

ST PETERSBURG Aug 22 —Reports regarding the wheat crop of Russia show that the prospects for summer wheat are promising, and that the yield of winter wheat will reach the average

Ireland

THE SHIPWRIGHTS' STRIKE

BELFAST, Aug 22 —The trouble in the ship yards here which has resulted in the lock-out of five thousand shipwrights, is due to a strike of three hundred boiler-makers

ARCHBISHOP CROKE'S DONATION

DUBLIN, Aug 22 —Archbishop Croke has donated fifty pounds to the fund for defraying the expenses of Mr Parnell in his action against the *Times*

NARROW ESCAPE

A Diabolical Plot of Skeena River Indians to Massacre the Whites

OTTAWA, Ont, Aug 22 —The recent investigation into the Indian troubles on Skeena river has brought to light a deeply laid plot by which at two secret meetings held at Katamax last winter it was arranged among the Indian tribes in that section to massacre all the whites The massacre was averted by one of the Indians, who, at the risk of his life, threatened to warn the government unless the idea was abandoned

Heaviest Rain-Storm of the Season.

NEWBURG, N Y, Aug 21 —The heaviest rain-storm of the season is now in progress here It began early this morning, and continued all day Water is rushing through the streets knee-deep, and if it continues all night, must do considerable damage

Short on Wheat.

NEW YORK, Aug 22 —S R. Post, a heavy trader on the Produce Exchange, failed yesterday He was short on wheat. His liabilities are said to be heavy, but outside parties will, it is said, not lose over $20,000

Not Murder, but Suicide.

NEW YORK, Aug 22 —The coroner decided yesterday that the man found dead near the Brooklyn bridge entrance Monday was not murdered, but committed suicide

Billy Maloney

NEW YORK, Aug 22 —A Montreal special says that Billy Maloney and members of his family sailed for Europe yesterday.

Waiting for Thurman.

PORT HURON, Mich, Aug 21 —The city is already crowded in expectation of Mr. Thurman's visit to-morrow. He will be given a grand reception.

Cheltenham Beach.

On the occasion of the Democratic rally at Cheltenham Beach, near Chicago, on Saturday, August 25, the Wabash will sell excursion tickets to Chicago at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale Aug. 24th and the morning train of the 25th, good to return until the 27th.
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THE Democrats are complaining because Mr. Cleveland does not bestir himself in the matter of the campaign. The suspicion is beginning to dawn upon them that he regards himself as bigger than his party (a claim that the mugwumps have always urged) and it is for the party to do all the hustling while he looks on approvingly and grins like the fat begum of the fairy tale. Mr. Cleveland would be a great deal bigger man if he could forget for a moment that he is the President, or if he could be brought to a realization of the fact that he only got there by a scratch. He has got so much higher than he, or anybody else, ever anticipated that he has contracted an alarming case of that homely complaint known as "big head."

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Public notice is hereby given to the said defendant, George W Cowles that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county of Macon, dated the 28th day of April A D 1888, at the suit of the above named plaintiffs, Phelps, Dodge & Palmer partners, and against the lands, goods, chattels, rights, moneys, credits and effects of you, the said defendant, George W Cowles for the sum of sixty four and twenty five one hundredths dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Macon county to execute which suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of Macon county, and said writ has been returned executed by levy on real estate in Macon county to wit Lot No Twelve (12) in Block No Two (2) in E B Dunfee's first addition to the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois taken as the property of the within named George W Cowles, on the 28th day of April, A D 1888

Now therefore unless you, the said defendant George W Cowles shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county at the September Term, to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur beginning on the Fourth Monday of September, A D 1888 give bail plead within the time limited for your appearance in such case, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said plaintiffs, and so much of the land attached as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same

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JOE R BURRES, Plaintiffs Attorney
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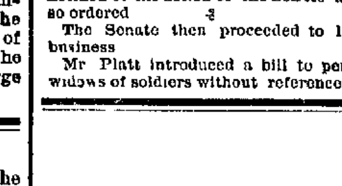

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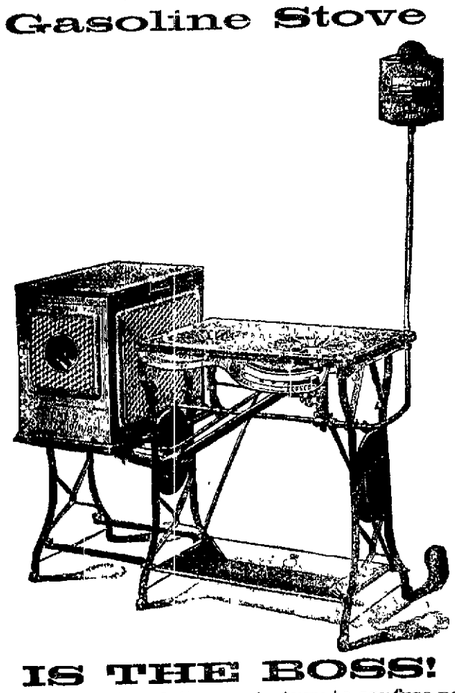

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Wigwams lower than ever—must be closed out.
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

WE are authorized to announce FRED J. SMITH as a candidadate for Representative, subject to the Republican primaries

WE are authorized to announce DAVID P. KELLER, of Macon, as a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce ROBERT M MACHAN, of Whitmore township, as a candidate for Representative, subject to the action of the Republican county convention

WE are authorized to announce EDMISTON MCCLELLAN as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JESSE E BENDIEP as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce CAPT GEO. S DURFEE as the soldiers' candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention

WEDNESDAY EVE., AUG. 22, 1888.

LOCAL NEWS.

GIRLS, ask papa to buy you one of those nice tricycles at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

STICK 'EM Fly Paper at Irwin's.

DON'T miss seeing "A Tin Soldier" to-morrow night.

QUITE fallish this morning—54 degrees above zero.

A BUSINESS meeting of the Poultry Club will be held to-morrow evening.

BENTON BLACKSTONE is building another addition to his residence on West Main street.

SEE Cheap Charley's new advertisement in to-day's paper.

ONE of the brightest and best comedies ever written, at the opera house to-morrow night—"A Tin Soldier."

TRY Wood Bros.' Jersey Milk Shake. None better in the city. 18-d2w

THE Rev. G. C. Kimberly, of Virden, Ill., has been called to the pulpit of the Christian church at Niantic.

LOOSE PRESSED Fresh Hops at Irwin's.

THE Garver family reunion will occur at Oakland Park Friday.

TELEPHONE to Niedermeyer. He will provide you with fine groceries and fruits.

USE the always reliable Hatfield & Co White Foam flour. All grocers sell it.

PLUMS, peaches and apples in great variety at J. Lytle & Co.'s grocery store.

JOSEPH HODNETT, JR., of Lincoln, died at his home yesterday from the effects of lockjaw, resulting from accidentally running a rusty nail in his foot.

ROAD CARTS just to suit the city and country people, on sale at D. F. Hamsher's place, Wood street.

FOR SALE—My frame dwelling on West Main street. Apply to E. W. Heilman at 108 Merchant street. 16-d6

"FLASHLIGHT" Photos; very fine. GEO. A. HENDERSON. Tel. 7. [26-d2m

TIDINGS of great joy—Haines and Everett pianos are the favorites, on sale only at C. B. Prescott's parlor.

WHITE LOAF flour will always suit you. Try it.

A BALL will be given at Marietta street Music Hall on Saturday evening, Aug. 25. Tickets 50 and 75 cents. 22-d4*

AT "Cheap Charley's" you will find the Gold and Silver Shirt. aug21-dtf

CAPT. T. H. BARR, of Friends Creek township, has our thanks for a sack of choice eating apples. To use a printer's phrase, "they were put on the inside."

SARATOGA Mineral Water on draft at Wood Bros. [18-d2w

PEACHES for canning and preserves, and apples for jells at Hanks & Patterson's South Water street grocery store.

FLESH-TINTED Prepared Chalk, at Irwin's.

A FULL assortment of family groceries at Knode & Osborne's store.

WAIT for the Grand Concert Sunday, September 2, by the famous Ringgold Band, of Terre Haute, and Goodman's Band, of this city. aug21-dtf

THE cheapest and the best is the Gold and Silver Shirt. aug21-dtf

BUY family groceries and fruits at Moore Bros. store in opera block.

GUESS what "See the Decatur" means.

ELEGANT parlor stoves at low figures at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

W. H. SHORS will sell you coal oil and gasoline of excellent quality. Hail the red wagon.

FOR all kinds of bread, pies, cakes and rolls, go to the bakery of Aungst & Dowling, 538 North Morgan street. None better in the city. jan30-dtf

OPENING of the Fall term of the Musical College Monday, Sept. 3rd. Pupils are especially requested to arrange for time before Sept. 1st. Corner Main and Wilham streets. aug4-td

OFFICE hours of the Musical College—from 9 to 12 a. m. Cor. Main and William streets. Miss Clara Irwin, Principal. aug4-tosept1

INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS; all sizes. Henderson; Tel. 7. June 26-d2m

ICE CREAM and Water Ices furnished parties and families on short notice, at Wood Bros. 18-d2w

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TELEPHONE 444 for 10c package delivery, or Western Union. Trunk to any part of the city, 15c. july6-dtf

500 Campaign Republican Club Plug Hats just received at B. Stine's.

BED Room Suites, Parlor Suites, Rattan Rockers, Stoves, Tinware, Glassware, Queensware and everything you may need for Housekeeping at a very small advance above Original Cost at Harry Fisk's, 1 and 2 Court House Block. 18d6

Chicago Tailor Shop.

Suits from $16.50 and up. Pants from $3.50 and up. Ladies' and gentlemen's clothing dyed, cleaned and repaired. H. M. WEITZ, 161 N. Water St.

Cattle Dying Off.

A subscriber writes us that Texas fever is still spreading over the south part of Niantic township. A. Gepford has lost three cows and one steer; Allen Tolberd, three head; Mr. Thompson, three head and others sick; George Bush, one dead; Allen Travis, two; one in Christian county, by one of the Mississippi cattle straying into that neighborhood; Thos. Hobson, south Niantic, one cow. Samuel Vanhook has sick cattle; his cattle are with James Dingman's herd, who has many cattle. The disease is reaching south and east; none in the northern part of the township, so far as heard from.

Horace Clark in Demand.

Judge Horace S. Clark, one of the leading attorneys of the state, has been engaged to assist State Attorney Hughes, of Piatt county, in the prosecution of James Mounce, now under indictment for the murder of Adam Spear. He is also engaged for a similar service in the Wacasser murder trial in Moultrie county, and the case of Sharp, in Edgar county, for attempted murder, while in Coles county he is engaged to assist in the prosecution of the mob who not long since lynched the colored man, Moore. The grand jury is now investigating this case at Charleston.

Hog Cholera.

In the country around Harristown the hogs are dying very rapidly of cholera. So many have died in some localities that the stench arising from the decaying carcasses has become almost intolerable.

THE new opera house is beginning to assume proportions which enable one to give a pretty good idea of what it is to be. The first floor joists are in position, showing the pitch the floor will have, and the careful attention that has been paid to the arrangements necessary to enable everybody to have an unobstructed view of the stage. What is more important than all else, however, is the solid and substantial character of the work. Every precaution that could be thought of has been attended to in order to give the building strength, and we are fully satisfied that the house could be packed full without even giving the smallest fraction of an inch.

THE opening comedy of the season—Hoyt's "A Tin Soldier," to-morrow night at the opera house. The company comes direct from New York City to Decatur to open its season.

THE threatening weather last evening caused a postponement of the concert that was advertised to take place in Central Park. It will be given this evening without fail.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Ed. Hill, of Chicago, is in the city.

Mrs. Jennie Sanders is in Chicago on a visit.

Will Grubbs is in Kansas on a visit to friends.

Charles Gutten, of St. Louis, is in the city.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Rawley, August 19, a son.

Frank Mathus moved into his new house on Condit street yesterday

G. S. Burgett and J. Allen, of Newman, were in the city this forenoon.

D. S. Shellabarger spent yesterday at Springfield.

J. B. Grafin, of Terre Haute, Ind., was in the city last night.

Capt. R. P. Lytle was in Maroa to-day on business.

Mrs. B. O. McReynolds and son, Tom, arrived home from Kentucky last night, after a protracted visit.

Calvin Simpson is still confined to his home with an attack of dropsy and pleurisy.

Ben F. Boynton's ninth wedding anniversary was celebrated at his home last evening.

Mrs. T. Phillips, of Terre Haute, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wamsley, on North Main street.

W. A. Ragan, of Bement, and J. C. Beaty, of Maroa, were at the Hotel Brunswick last evening.

Rev. James Miller will go to the Newman camp meeting to-morrow, and will return the next day.

Mrs. Jesse Yoakum and son, of Piatt county, and Miss Rush, of Ohio, are guests of Theo. Nelson and family.

Mrs. R. B. Gallagher and Mrs. Kinney left for Chicago on the noon train. Mrs. G. will remain till October.

James Hatfield, who has been suffering with an attack of cholera morbus, is out again. He lost about 15 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pratt arrived from Manitou, Colo., last evening, coming by way of Peoria and Bloomington.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Harwood and daughter reached home this morning from Boston. They report a most enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. William Coffey, of Douglas county, who have been campers at the Holiness meeting, left for their home to-day.

John W. McKinney, manager of the Conreid English Opera Co., soon to appear here in "The Gypsy Baron," was in town to-day.

Arthur Hanes and Chas. Keister, of Forsyth, left yesterday for a trip through the Western States. They will be absent about a month.

Helm Whitehurst, the political and railway sage of the Wabash general office, is in Chicago to-day enjoying the stiff lake breezes.

Judge Nelson and Elijah Hampton left for Sullivan yesterday, the former to hold the county court, and the latter to testify in a case to be heard.

State's Attorney Mills and wife arrived in the city this morning from Manitou, Colorado. Mrs. Mills has been in the mountains since early in July and returns in greatly improved health.

Horace Randall, representing Bradner, Smith & Co., of Chicago, is in town today. Mr. Randall is on top now. Some time ago, when the Chicago convention was in session, he was in Decatur and was an ardent advocate of Harrison. Just at that time he encountered in this locality a very strong Gresham breeze, but when his favorite was nominated he felt vindicated. He thinks now that he had more political insight than most of those he met in Decatur, all of whom are admitting that the best man was nominated.

Reunion of 116th Ill. Infantry.

The annual reunion of the 116th Illinois Infantry will be held in Decatur on Friday, September 7. All old soldiers with their families and friends are cordially invited to attend. Bring your baskets well filled and enjoy a genuine old-time reunion. CAPT. I. N. MARTIN, V. P.
M. E. BAKER, Sec'y.

Regimental Reunion.

The annual reunion of the 41st Illinois Infantry Association will be held at Mattoon, Illinois, September 20th and 21st. All members of this association are requested to be present if possible, and bring their friends. A good program will be prepared for the occasion and all will be made welcome. R. W. MCFADDEN, Pres.,
E. T. LEE Sec'y, Monticello. Mattoon.

If you buy any clothing, inspect Cheap Charley's. day

CLOSE OF THE CONFERENCE.

Will Meet in Peoria Next Time—The Appointments—Resolutions.

The African Methodist Conference met at four o'clock yesterday afternoon in St. Peter's Chapel, Bishop Arnett calling the body to order.

The consideration of the report of the committee on the state of the church was resumed and after several complimentary expressions of opinion as to the ability of the report it was unanimously adopted.

The committee on temperance having announced its readiness to report, it was noticed that Mrs. L. C. Shea and Mrs. A. W. Brodess, members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, were present and they were introduced to the Conference and invited to seats within the bar.

The report of the committee on temperance was as follows:

Your committee, to whom was referred this subject, find upon close investigation that the unanimous verdict is: (1) That nine-tenths of the crimes of our country finds its origin in the use, directly, or indirectly, of intoxicating liquors; (2) That crime is on the increase; therefore

Resolved, That the time is come for every minister to take his place in the ranks of reform which has for its object the constitutional prohibition of the manufacture and sale of these intoxicants.

Resolved, That the time is fully come when this reform work cannot be confined to the pulpit, class meetings, social circles, nor secret orders, but must be handled from a political standpoint.

A preamble and resolutions were adopted condemning the use of tobacco.

The temperance resolutions were carried. The advocates of the temperance cause were commended, but the disposition was strongly manifested to stand by the Republican party.

The executive board to be associated with the Ladies' Mite Society consists of J. W. H. Jackson, J. B. Dawson, H. C. Barton, P. C. Cooper and Perry Thurman.

The Conference took a recess till 8 p.m.

EVENING SESSION.

Upon reconvening there was a large crowd. Bishop Arnett spoke of "The Black Boy and the Black Girl," showing the progress in freedom. He spoke of the great men of the race, those who fought in the rebellion. He stimulated the pride and increased the self-respect of his hearers.

Peoria was selected as the place for the next Conference.

Bishop Brown announced the following conference appointments:

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Henry Simmons, Presiding Elder
Quincy—N. J. McCracken.
St. Paul's, Springfield—A. A Burleigh
St. John's, Springfield—J. W. Polk
Bloomington—J. B Dawson.
Jacksonville—A J. Burton.
Decatur—O H Sheen.
Champaign—W G. Rinehart
Lincoln—A. Perkins.
Pontiac—J. S. Woods.
Peoria—T. A. Clark.
Danville—W. J. Davis
Mattoon—J. S. Peterson.
Paris—H Parris.
Gibson City—Wm. Lee
Jerseyville—D. A. Wilkerson
Litchfield—Joseph Stephenson.
Pittsfield—J. D. Patterson
Shipman—P. A Green.

CAIRO DISTRICT

P. C Cooper, Presiding Elder.
Cairo—S. A. Hardison
Alton—J. W. H. Jackson.
Sparta—E. P. Moore.
Metropolis—W. H. Chambers.
Carbondale—Samuel A Harrison
Edwardsville—M. G. McKinney
Upper Alton—Charles Holmes.
Venice—F. T Harvey.
Shawneetown—H C. Burton
Belleville—R. P. Tyler.
Mound City—J. N. Rhoads.
Grand Tower and Murphysboro—P. A. Clark.
Hodge's Park—Wm. Collins
Chester—James Sides.
Collinsville—H B. Cole.
Harrisburg—Henry Handy.
Villa Ridge—Wm. Green.
Carmi—B Moss.
Elizabeth—Thomas Abbott.
New Grand Chain—J. P. Hammons.
Pellonia—— Tiff.
Gallatin and Shawneetown Circuit—R P. Christian.
Greenville Circuit—George Benson.

GRATITUDE.

The following expression of thanks, introduced by Deacon L. J. Phillips, was adopted by a rising vote:

WHEREAS, The noble-hearted good pastors and people of Decatur did so grandly receive the ministers of the 17th Illinois Annual Conference in the expression of the most superb and commendable banquet given on the day before the conference commenced and so proudly entertained us during our stay in this city; and

WHEREAS, The pastors and people of the First M. E. Church opened the doors of their beautiful church for our Sunday services, which afforded us so much comfort and convenience; and

WHEREAS, Many of the other city churches extended to us courtesy and consideration; and

WHEREAS, The journals of the city, especially the *Herald*, the *Review* and the REPUBLICAN, have published full and fair reports of the proceedings of each session; therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Conference that all mentioned in these resolutions and those with good intent, deserve our highest appreciation and deepest gratitude, and we will ever cherish a fond remembrance of this grand people, and we will ever invoke upon them the continual blessings of the great Architect of the universe.

JAMES RHODES, a desperate young man who stabbed Conductor Charley L. Corneau at Jerseyville, was held to answer in the sum of $800 for assault to kill, and was also fined $30 for resisting an officer and for disorderly conduct. Conductor Corneau was stabbed in the stomach, but is not dangerously cut.

Republican Rally!

The Republicans of Blue Mound township will hold a meeting at the town hall in Boody, Saturday evening, August 25. The meeting will be addressed by Hon. W. T. Moffett and others. Let there be a full turnout and hear the tariff discussed from a farmer's standpoint.

By order COMMITTEE.

MARRIED.

At the residence of John Murphy, 646 East North street, August 19, by J. Q. A. Otlor, J. P., R. S. Moredith and Miss Rosa A. Coady.

DIED.

Of gastritis, at the home of the parents, 1044 East William street, at 1 p. m., on August 21, 1888, Harry, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Young.

Music.

I wish to notify my pupils, and those desiring to take music lessons, that I will return on the 3rd of September, prepared to give them the advantage of the latest and best methods of instruction, having taken a very thorough course of music study with Mr. Lambert, of New York City. Terms—$10 for twenty lessons. Residence, 911 N. Clinton St.
aug21-d2w* MARY S. CONDELL.

You Cannot Live Always.

Miss Minnie Stickel teaches piano and organ by the "lightning method"—quickest and best. Terms, only $10.00 for twenty lessons. Class lessons in Harmony and concert playing *Free* to pupils. Address or call at 526 N. Church St.
aug14-dtf

THE ladies of the U. B. church will give an ice cream and lunch festival at the residence of Mr. A. Kramer, 615 North Main street, Thursday evening, August 23, for the benefit of the church. 21-d3

FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS at home. Satisfactory work. Geo. A. HEN[illegible], V. P. Tel. 7. June

The Closing Day.

Special interest is manifested in the services at the State Holiness camp meeting at Oakland Park to-day, as this evening and to-night the campers will begin to leave for their homes in different parts of the state. Evangelist Miller conducted the service at 8:30 a. m. and at 10:30 L. B. Kent delivered a sermon. This afternoon there were three services in progress—at 1:30 o'clock a children's meeting, a missionary service and preaching. There will be preaching at 4 o'clock; young people's meeting at 6, song service at 7 and preaching at 7:30, when the parting scenes will be witnessed. Rev. M. L. Haney and Evangelist Miller go to Saybrook to-morrow, and Rev. W. A. Dodge to Taylorville.

The association people are highly gratified with the meeting held here, the superior conveniences afforded, the respectful attention and interest of the Decatur people. The Park is all that could be desired for such gatherings and will no doubt be recommended as the place for holding the National meeting next year. Springfield, Jacksonville and Charleston will try to get the National meeting, but Decatur has better advantages to offer in the way of railway facilities, hack and street car accommodations, and a community that is always in sympathy with earnest christian work. The local committee has worked faithfully for the success of the state meeting and will do more for the National meeting should Decatur be chosen as the place. The question will be decided in October.

LLOYD, son of Rev. W. C. Lacy, died at Chilli, Ill., Tuesday. To-day Rae C. Ringland received a telegram stating that the remains would be brought to Decatur to-night for burial. Rev. Lacy is a son-in-law of Rev. A. Bradshaw.

A Soldier's Reply to "B."

EDITORS REPUBLICAN In reply to an article in your paper of yesterday signed "B.," permit one, who was a soldier, to protest against the idea that because a man has been a soldier he must be supported for office, whether his past life has been honorable or otherwise. I believe that it is an incumbent upon a soldier candidate to be a gentleman and honest man as if he were a civilian. Because a man has worn a U. S. uniform, is not necessarily evidence that he is perfect in all the attributes of character that go towards the formation of a worthy gentleman Since "B." has chosen to slur the character of one of our most respected citizens and present circuit clerk, it might be proper to bring his candidate before the public for inspection. It might be pertinent to ask if, in case he does not succeed in getting the nomination he asks from the Republican party, whether he is having his Democratic substitute, Joe Ray, groomed ready to enter in the fall races? He might, also, properly, explain his very singular action while a member of the board of supervisors, when he not only attempted to do a dishonorable act, but had the temerity and audacity to abuse all fair-minded citizens who would hot support him in this high handed outrage. When he himself announced in the papers as "The Soldier's Candidate," he virtually said. "All soldiers believe in me, and demand my nomination at the hands of the Republicans; and, if the party does not nominate me, I will kick" "B." is likewise employing the same tactics against this assumption. I vigorously protest, as well as do a large number of soldiers in Macon county with whom I have conversed. They protest against being forced into the semblance of giving support or confidence to one who by his fair ground record and other questionable acts, has forfeited their esteem. We have had enough of this attempted coercion and misrepresentation as to the position of the soldiers of Macon county, and insist that Mr. Durfee shall be judged by his civil, as well as by his military record. It is in civil life we are now living, and a civil office to be filled. He, doubtless, was an honorable soldier, and is an average citizen, but, as a supervisor of Macon county, he has been a lamentable failure, (if nothing worse), and he is personally undeserving of promotion C. C.

Tin Soldier.

This hilarious comedy will be seen at the opera house to-morrow evening. The characters in the piece are all well known, and while the play deals wholly in nonsense, will afford lots of fun for all who attend. Mr. Hoyt's standing as a playwright is well known, and "A Tin soldier" is one of his best productions. The company comes direct from New York City to open in Decatur.

Where Certain Soldiers Died.

The following interesting statement is taken from the *American Tribune* of August 17, 1888.

EDITOR *American Tribune* "I have in my possession the following notices and receipts, which may be of some benefit to some soldier's widow or children, mother, brothers or sisters, and I will gladly furnish them the original copy if they will communicate with me They were issued by my father, who was surgeon of the 67th Indiana, and who had charge of the hospital boat, Fanny Bullott"

HOSPITAL BOAT, FANNY BULLETT, February 8, 1863

DEAR SIR, Alva Wing of your Company, died on this boat February 3d, and herewith sends you an inventory of all effects found on or about his person J. W. F. GERRISH, Surgeon 67th Ind., in charge

There are similar letters regarding William Ambler, Co D, 116th Ill, Maly Maddox, Co. D 116th; Michael Clark, Co K, 116th Ill; Richard Hicks, Co K, 116th, Andrew Betts, 108th Ill., F M. Wiles, Co. E, 108th Ill, Spencer B. Sparrow, Co. A, 108th, and Abram Yontze, Co. H, 108th Ill.

"These papers are of no value to me, and I will gladly furnish them to any members of their families or their friends. While they may not be of any service to them, it may be the means, at least, of establishing their death.

"M. F. GERRISH, M. D.,
"Seymour, Ind."

Grain In Store in Chicago.

Weekly Statement, compiled from the books of the State Warehouse Registrar, showing the amount, in bushels, of each kind of grain in store in the Public Warehouses of Chicago at the close of business on

SATURDAY, August 18, 1888.

Kind of Grain.	Increase during week	Decrease during week.	Total amount in store.	Am't in store same time last year
Wheat..	.....	367,598	4,591,819	6,061,245
Corn..	....	143,563	2,314,861	2,169,330
Oats....	....	87,167	252,403	1,569,800
Rye..	16,381	.....	55,411	72,537
Barley	....	....	31,011	40,401
Total	16,381	603,368	7,228,405	10,513,313

Net decrease during the week 586,977 bushels.

J. W. BURST,
Warehouse Registrar.

PUPILS of the Musical College wishing to compete for the prize for regular attendance during the year, must enter at the first of the term, Sept. 3. aug4-td

Sociable.

Progress Lodge No. 141, Daughters of Rebecca, I. O. O. F., will hold a sociable at Thos. Kitchen's, 1105 East Orchard street, Aug. 22. Everybody invited.
17-td

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—86½ Aug; 86⅝ Sep; 87⅛ Oct; 92⅝ May.
CORN—44⅝ Aug; 44⅝ Sep; 44⅝ Oct; 39⅝ May.
OATS—25 Aug; 24⅜ Sep; 24⅝ Oct; 26½ May.
PORK—$13.80 Aug; $13.80 Sep; $13.87 Oct.
LARD—$8.97 Aug; $8.97 Sep; $9.02 Oct.
RIBS—$8.20 Aug; $8.20 Sep; $7.25 Oct.
Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 10,000; prospects steady.
Cattle, 14,000; about 9,000 Texas and Western; prospects steady.
Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 118; Spring, 48. Corn, 427. Oats, 186.

WRITE VISITS for barkeepers at B. Stine's. dtf

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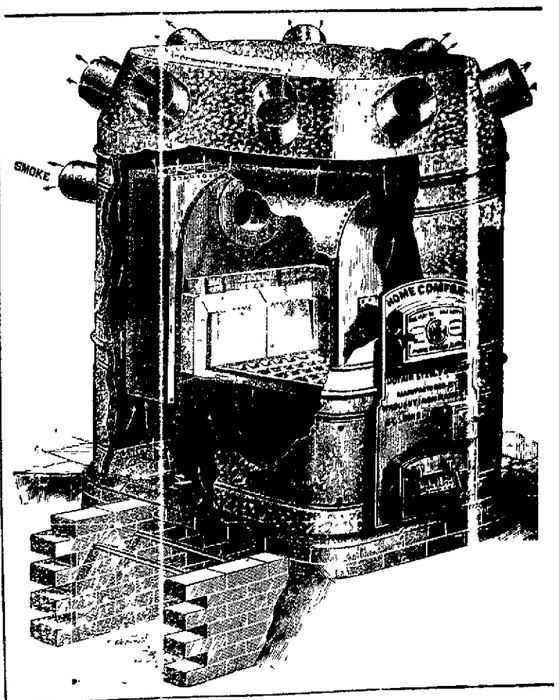

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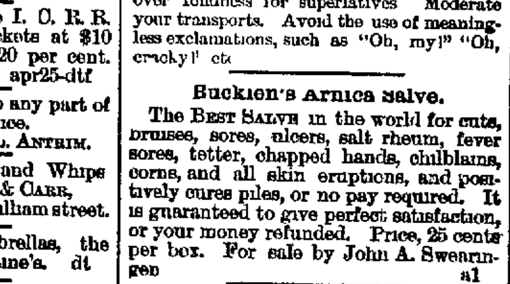
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Call and see our Bed Room Suits at $20 and $25; also all Plush Parlor Suits at $25. Everything sold at Reduced Prices. We are bound to sell. No trouble to show goods. Give us a call.

BACHMAN BROS.,
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Call for Township Primaries.

The Republican voters of the several Districts of Decatur Township are notified that the Primaries will be held on

Tuesday, September Fourth,

at the places given below. The voting places will open at 4 and close at 7½ o'clock p m

1st District	—At the Band House.
2nd "	—At Lee Gill's grocery Store
3rd "	—At Foster's Grocery Store
4th "	—At Hendricks' Carpenter Shop.
5th "	—At McNabb's Carpenter Shop
6th "	—At Nichols' Blacksmith Shop.
7th "	—At City Council Rooms
8th "	—At Street Car Stables
9th "	—At J H. Myers' Store Room
10th "	—At Martin's Coal Office
11th "	—At Republican Headquarters

At these primaries the Republican voters will denote by ballot their preferences for candidates for the several offices to be selected at the Republican County Convention to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the SIXTH day of September Just before the primaries are closed the following number of delegates will be selected to attend said convention from the various districts

1st District will be entitled to	2 Delegates
2nd "	1 "
3rd "	3 "
4th "	3 "
5th "	4 "
6th "	4 "
7th "	4 "
8th "	4 "
9th "	4 "
10th "	2 "
11th "	3 "

The delegates selected will support in convention the candidates, for the several offices, that may receive the highest number of votes in their respective districts

JOHN A BARNES, Chairman

A L LYTLE, Secretary

1st District—W T DILLEHUNT	Chairman
2nd " —F H ROBBINS,	"
3rd " —J J FINN	"
4th " —I W HARDY,	"
5th " —A L LYTLE,	"
6th " —C M IMBODEN,	"
7th " —JOHN A BROWN,	"
8th " —W F HAWORTH,	"
9th " —HENRY METZ,	"
10th " —E G ALLEN,	"
11th " —JAMES FREEMAN,	"

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of the several townships of Macon county are requested to send delegates to a County Convention, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on

Thursday, September 6th,

at 11 o clock a m, for the purpose of nominating

One candidate for Representative in the Legislature from the 29th Senatorial and Representative district
One candidate for Circuit Clerk
One candidate for State s Attorney
One candidate for Surveyor
One candidate for Coroner of Macon County

The representation in said Convention will be based on the vote cast for Blaine and Logan in 1884 being one delegate for every 50 votes or fraction of 25 or over

Each voting district or township will be entitled to the following delegates, to wit

Decatur—1st District	2	Hickory	2
" 2d "	1	Harristown	2
" 3d "	3	Illini	3
" 4th "	3	Long Creek	3
" 5th "	4	Macon	4
" 6th "	4	Maroa	5
" 7th "	4	Milam	1
" 8th "	4	Mt Zion	3
" 9th "	4	Niantic	2
" 10th "	2	Oakley	2
" 11th "	3	Pleasant View	3
Austin	2	Wheatland	2
Blue Mound	3	Whitmore	3
Friends Creek	4		

It is earnestly recommended that primaries be held in each of the voting districts on Tuesday evening, September 4th

M F KANAN, Chairman

J A BARNES Sec'y

Decatur—1st Dist —W T DILLEHUNT
2d " —F H ROBBINS
3d " —J J FINN
4th " —I W HARDY
5th " —A L LYTLE
6th " —C M IMBODEN
7th " —J A BARNES
8th " —W F HAWORTH
9th " —HENRY METZ
10th " —
11th " —JAMES FREEMAN
Austin—A B MCKEE
Blue Mound—J A BARNES
Friends Creek—H C GRIFFIN
Hickory—SOL WILLIAMSON
Harristown—J B CAMP
Illini O P HALL
Long Creek—R THOMAS
Macon—O H DRAPER
Maroa—1st Dist —C L EMERY
" 2d " —I N LEAVITT
Milam—J V MOODY
Mt Zion—D C DAVIDSON
Niantic—A W WELLS
Oakley—FRANK MCCOY
Pleasant View—W S MCCONNELL
Wheatland—M A CONNARD
Whitmore—JAS LICHTENBERGER

Kid Gloves.

Our glove department was never so complete, and prices never so low as at present, beginning with Jouvin kids at 50 cents, Alexander at 90 cents, embroidered and plain, that cannot be equaled for quality and price, Treville black and colored, embroidered and plain at $1 18, the best gloves in the market for the money; real 4-button kids, embroidered and plain, at $1 25, equal to any other at $1.50. Also the new Fourchette in Mousquetaire street gloves in all the new shades, embroidered and plain, at popular prices.
March 31-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Extraordinary Bargains

Is the heading of a new advertisement of Linn & Scruggs in another part of this paper, and one patent fact in their announcements of this character is, that they always mean and do what they say. Those who wish to buy the best goods, at low prices, will find them at
apr14-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

Hard Coal.

I am now receiving my hard coal direct from the mines of Scranton and Wilkes barre. Chestnut No 4 and stove size also large size for furnace use. Call and see it before buying elsewhere. Telephone 438 E L. MARTIN
aug1 d&w1mo

Campaign Decorations

In streamers, flags, buntings, garlands and shields, Also gold and silver fringes, gimps, laces, cords, stars, spangles, rosettes, etc, suitable for banners and club badges. LINN & SCRUGGS

MOREHOUSE, WELLS & Co are constantly receiving new patterns, in Wood, Iron and Slate Mantels, Vestibule and Hearth Tiles, Fine Brass Fenders, Fire Sets, and everything pertaining to this one No larger or more complete assortment can be found elsewhere d&w

ANYONE in search of a first-class cooking apparatus can find what they want in the "Home Comfort" Range sold by Morehouse, Wells & Co One of the best housekeepers in the city says "We did not know what home comfort was until we got a 'Home Comfort' range in the house" n30-tf

GIVE the young men a chance. Smith & Brand, on Cerro Gordo St, one block west of Shellabarger's mill, are prepared to do all kinds of job work, wagon repairing and horse shoeing. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give us a call. Jy.25dtf.

HENRY BROS. make the largest loaves of home made bread of any in the city. bread delivered promptly anywhere it is desired. nov23-dtf

THE Old Reliable Peter Schuttler and Moline Wagons for sale by Spencer & Lehman feb16-dawtf

LIGHT-WEIGHT Flannel Shirts, neatly made, perfect fits, elegant shades, well adapted for clerks, book-keepers and business men generally, at B. STINE'S.

UNTIL further notice the I. C. R. R. will sell excess baggage tickets at $10 each, being a reduction of 20 per cent. from former rates apr25-dtf

ICE! ICE!—Ice delivered to any part of the city. Telephone 176 for ice.
may19-dtf T. L. ANTRIM.

BUGGIES, Carriages, Carts and Whips
apr 27-dtf BUSHERT & CARR,
241 and 245 East William street.

GOLD-HEADED Silk Umbrellas, the finest in the market, at B. Stine's. dt

WE sel and warrant the celebrated Olds Wagons. BUSHERT & CARR,
Apr 27-dtf 241 and 245 E. William st

NOVELTIES in Ladies' Felt Hats, at
dtf B STINE'S.

SEE the "Home Comfort" Ranges at Morehouse, Wells & Co.'s. daw

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June 26-d2m

FRESH lunch every evening at Ben Boynton's summer resort on South Water street. july10-dtf

THE Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vehicle work. ap16-dtf

IF you buy any clothing, inspect Cheap Charley's. daw

WHITE VESTS for barkeepers at B. Stine's.

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is one way of getting rid of it. Take, for instance, Senator Miller's funeral, and you can easily see where the money goes. In the first place, it cost nearly $4,000 to carry the coffin and the committee from Washington to San Francisco There was in addition to this an expense for Pullman cars of $2,000 more, and the hotel bills, all told, were about $1,000. The sum total was about $7,000, and considering the distance it was not, I think, extravagant."

"What does a congressman's coffin usually cost?"

"Well, when it is bought by the government it costs at least $400 I have had the auditing of a number of these congressional funeral accounts and I have been on one or two of the committees who have attended the burial You cannot get a good coffin for less than $400 I mean one that will look well, and will at the same time stand some chance against the body snatchers. I costs about $500 to pay the undertaker, and one of the items of expense of our funerals here are the sashes and gloves When Senator Burnside died the pall bearers had sixteen white scarfs to tie around them, and these cost $144. It costs as a rule about $9 a piece for these scarfs, and the kid gloves used run about $2 and $2 50 a pair The funeral of Gen A S Williams, of Detroit, during the Forty-sixth congress, cost $13,000, and it is the traveling expenses of these funerals that count up Take the Miller funeral, and the traveling expenses, all told were $6,000"

"I can t see where they spend the money," said I

"Well, there is a committee of both houses, and this committee, as a rule, take a special car A man needs good feed on a funeral tour if any place, and the lunch bills are among the heaviest I have known of funerals where a single one of the lunches cost $123, and of course the car has to have its champagne and its apollinaris These things count up, and as a rule the congressional funeral away from Washington which runs under $1 000 is an exception"

"How about the funeral orations of the house and senate?"

"I think they are very good. It gives the boys a chance to get off their old college essays about death and eternity, and I have never yet heard of a congressman who has died at Washington who was not in these speeches everything that was true, good, beautiful and holy In the senate there are some beautiful obituary makers, and Senator Palmer could make his fortune by hiring himself out to a tombstone factory and furnishing funeral orations to order Dan Voorhees makes a very good funeral speech, and as for Senator Spooner, he could bring tears to the eyes of a statue. Sherman can eulogize a statesman, but he is not so good for an ordinary occasion, and one of the best funeral orators of the house is Sunset Cox."

"In what manner, supposing you had to die, judge," said I, "and you had the choice, would you prefer to die?"

"That makes me think," returned the statesman, "of a piece of verse on that subject I am not sure that I can quote it, but the gist of it was that the writer in discussing the question of death gave the reasons why he would not die in each of the different seasons of the year It went something like this

> 'When the sassingers is fryin'
> And hickory nuts is thick,
> Oh! who would think of dyin'
> Or even gettin' sick?

"This was the verse, I think, for the autumn There was a similar one for each season, and the conclusion was

> I would not die in spring time,
> I would not die in fall
> And come to think about it,
> I would not die at all

"And," concluded the statesman, "it is the same with me I don t want to die at all. But I suppose I shall go off some time, and when I do I would rather have it a quick death, and one where my family will not be bothered about my funeral expenses I would not object to a $400 coffin, and I want the boys who accompany me to my last resting place to have all the champagne that they can drink at Uncle Sam's expense I don't want a big monument, but I am in for all the furbelows of a funeral, as long as it don't reduce the size of my life insurance policy or come out of the amount I leave to my family" THOMAS J TODD

A FINE STRUCTURE.

The County Building to Be Erected at Minneapolis.

[Special Correspondence]

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug 7—The new county building to be erected in this city will be an imposing structure It is in the form of a square with a tower 250 feet high on one of its fronts The summit of the tower will be encircled by a balcony, from which visitors may gain a fine view of the city and its surroundings There will be another tower on the opposite side of the building, resembling the first, but not being so elaborate or so high, rising only 200 feet. The walls average 90 feet high, and the pavilion 140 feet

The style of architecture is Romanesque The different fronts are treated similarly, instead of attempting to make a special feature of any one front The main entrance to the basement is ornamented with massive columns of polished granite Around the interior is a hall fifteen feet wide

THE MINNEAPOLIS BUILDING

The building is divided into offices for the county officers, the courts, the city officers, in short, all officials connected with county and city All the internal supports are of cast iron columns The partitions are of fire proof tile The corridors will be floored with tiling and wainscoted with marble All the rooms are furnished with fresh air by means of a fan system, so arranged that the air can be moistened in winter and cooled in summer The floor of the court will be paved The building will contain 240,000 feet of floor room and 8 000,000 cubic feet of space S T J

Slang and Meaningless Exclamations.

Avoid the use of slang, lest you fall into a disagreeable habit that will prove difficult to correct It is true that Thackeray said, "There is some slang that is gentlemanly slang," it is equally true that there is slang that is vulgar If one does not know the difference, let him avoid slang altogether, and then he will be safe

Don't use profane language Don't multiply epithets and adjectives, don't show an over fondness for superlatives Moderate your transports. Avoid the use of meaningless exclamations, such as "Oh, my!" "Oh, cracky!" etc

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by John A. Swearingen a1

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Invite special attention to their recent importation of Kid Gloves, comprising the newest shades of embroidered as well as plain black, in Button and Hook Gloves, that are manufactured. Ask for the celebrated "Melrose." d&w

THE Court House Restaurant has been greatly enlarged and improved. The best of day board and good rooms. Rates as low as decent accommodations can be afforded at. Come and see me, 139 South Water street. W. A. COMBS.
july7-dtf

FOR Buckeye Iron Force Pumps, and Wood and Chain. Pumps, go to Bushert & Carr, 241 and 245 East William street.
Apr 27-dtf

Wo... , Chain Pumps, Iron ... or sale at Spencer & Lehman ... feb16-dawtf

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[Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance]

FOR SALE -A large lot of organ and piano boxes for sale cheap Good for grain or coal bins S M LUTZ
aug20-d&w2w

TO LET—A pleasant suite of well furnished rooms, to gentleman and wife, good references no children Rooms within one square of good hotel, within four squares of postoffice Apply at s w cor Wood and Franklin Sts
aug20-d6*

FOUND—This morning, a pocket-book containing money Owner can recover same by calling at 237 West Decatur street, proving property and paying for this notice aug20-d6

FOUND—A solid gold charm for gents' watch chain Owner can recover the same by calling at CURTIS & BRO'S jewelry store and paying for this notice 16-d6

REMEMBER the Globe Restaurant, first-class meals and lunch, oysters served up in good style in season 721 E Cerro Gordo St.
August 9-dtf

TO RENT—The modern brick dwelling, No 441 North Water street, St John's Place gas, water, furnace and all modern improvements Apply to L. BURROWS. july20-dtf

FOR SALE—Good beds, $2 00 chairs, per set, $2 00 Bureaus, Lounges, Oil and other stoves at half price Everything cheap at the Furniture and Stove Exchange, 248 E Main, 1st door east of Bachman Bros 9-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that I am pressing, coloring, bleaching all kinds of ladies and children's straw hats, and satisfaction guaranteed, at No 542 North Morgan St
july2-tf

RESTAURANT FOR SALE—Apply to A C Smith, reasonable terms, Apply at 759 Cerro Gordo St., Decatur, Ill. june19-dtf

WANTED—Agents at the "Isituntilsuited" Art Studio $15 00 per week and expenses paid to the right party Call or address "Isituntilsuited" Art Studio, Decatur, Ill mar31-d&wtf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farmers, take notice! I have several good blood mares to trade for good mules, or work horses, also some fine steers and young cows with calves to trade, or will purchase good horses, if I can buy them to suit Address D A MAFFIT, or Telephone 100 July26 d&w1m

AWNINGS—Cox & Chamberlain, mattress manufacturers, are now prepared to make and put up awnings on short notice at the lowest possible prices Any style or quality desired Give them a call at the mattress factory, 553 North Broadway mar15 dtf

Choice Residence Property
FOR SALE.

My late residence at 319 South Broadway, is offered for sale on easy terms. The lot is 100x150 feet, house of nine rooms, with as many closets, all well finished and in good repair, Well with new pump, cistern with pump in kitchen, good cellar, barn and carriage house, some fruit on lot and elegant shade trees
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In large or small sums, on real estate or personal property Interest and commission reasonable JOL R BURRES, Att y at Law
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June28 d&w3mos 156 South Water Street

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July 16d&wtf

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery. To June Term A D 1888

Trustees of Schools of Township Fifteen (15) North, Range one (1) East of the Third P M, vs Abram C Miller et al—Foreclosure No 13105

Public notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the June Term, A. D 1888, by the said Court in the above entitled cause, I, John A Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon County, Illinois, will at the hour of two o clock in the afternoon, on

Saturday, the 22d Day of September, A. D. 1888,

at the west outside door of the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit Ten (10) acres off from the south side of the east side of the west half of the southeast quarter of Section twenty three (23), township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the third P M, also one square acre in the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section twenty six (26), same town and range as above also that part of the north half of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section twenty six (26), in same town and range aforesaid, which lies south and west of the Sangamon river, containing six (6) acres more or less also that part of the south half of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section twenty six (26), in same township and range as above, lying south of the Sangamon river, said parcel being bounded on the north by said river—ten acres more or less, or as much as may be required thereof to satisfy said decree.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash subject to redemption as required by law

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 14th day of August, A D 1888

JOHN A BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon Co, Ill
BUNN & PARK Complainants' Solicitor.
aug14 d3w

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery To June Term, A D 1888

B M Clark vs Harry J Ritter et al—Foreclosure No 13,061

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Saturday, the 22d Day of September, A. D. 1888,

at the west outside door of the Court House in Decatur in said Macon County, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon state of Illinois, to wit Commencing at the southeast corner of Section Five (5), Township Fifteen (15), North Range Three (3) east of the 3d P M, thence west eighty (80) rods, thence north forty (40) rods, thence east forty (40) rods, thence north fourteen (14) rods thence east forty (40) rods, thence south fifty four (54) rods to the place of beginning, also commencing eighty (80) rods west and forty (40) rods north of the southeast corner of Section Five (5), Township Fifteen (15) North, Range Three (3) east of the 3d P M, thence east forty (40) rods, thence north forty (40) rods, thence west forty (40) rods, thence south forty (40) rods to the place of beginning, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to realize the amount due the complainant

TERMS OF SALE—Cash, subject to redemption, as required by law

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 14th day of August, A D 1888

JOHN A BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon County, Illinois.
W. G COCHRAN, Complainant's Solicitor.
Aug14-d30d

New Book Bindery
—AND—
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Telescope Boxes made to order.
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Oct, 30-d6m.

LEE & FINN,
Attorneys at Law.
Office 122 South Water St., Opposite Court House,
DECATUR, - - - - ILL.

Having resumed the practice of Law and associated myself with Mr. Lee as above, I will be pleased to receive the patronage of my friends and the public, and can assure them that all matters entrusted to us will receive ... attention. JAMES ... FINN.

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Have You Any Idea What It Costs
TO MAKE A CHICAGO DAILY NEWS?

You haven't? Well, let us give you just a glimpse into the business, perhaps it will interest you.

To begin with, the work of the paper is divided into Seventeen Different Departments, each under its own responsible Superintendent. Let us take them in order as they stand on the weekly pay-roll:—

1. **The Editorial Department.**—This includes managing editors, city editors, telegraph editors, exchange editors, editorial writers, special writers, and about thirty reporters. THE DAILY NEWS staff is admittedly without a superior in the West, and numbers 56
2. **The Telegraph Room.**—To save time special wires are run into THE DAILY NEWS building, and the paper's own operators take the messages and hand them immediately to the telegraph editor The number of operators is 3
3. **The Compositor's Room.**—When "copy" has passed the hands of the proper revising editor it goes to the type-setter There are a good many of him in THE DAILY NEWS office—on an average . 73
4. **The Linotype Room.**—But the compositor doesn't do all the type-setting. The "Linotype" machine "sets type" by casting a-line-of-type, on somewhat the same principle as the type-founder casts a single type. Fourteen of these machines are in use in THE DAILY NEWS office, and the number of persons required in this department is . 29
5. **The Artists' and Engravers' Department**—But the metropolitan daily now gives its readers not only reading matter, but also illustrations. By the aid of good artists, zinc etchers and photography by electric light THE DAILY NEWS is now printing the best newspaper illustrations in America This takes the best service of skilled workers to the number of 7
6. **The Stereotype Foundry.**—The matter—type and pictures—being now "locked up" in the "forms" the work is next transferred to the foundry. A metropolitan daily no longer prints from its type. In order to print a large edition quickly it is necessary to *multiply the printing surfaces*, and this is accomplished by casting duplicate stereotyped plates, from which, after they have been fastened to the presses, the printing is done Of stereotypers THE DAILY NEWS requires 8
7. **The Press Room.**—THE DAILY NEWS uses six double perfecting presses, capable of printing 100,000 complete papers per hour. To run these there are required men to the number of. 26
8. **The Mailing and Delivery Department.**—"The mailers" and the delivery clerks handle over a million papers a week. The force numbers 25
9. **The Engine Room.**—To supply the motive power requires three steam boilers of 175 horse-power capacity, and three engines with an aggregate of 270 horse-power All departments are lighted by the Edison incandescent system, which here comprises three dynamo machines and 500 lamps. The employes of this department number 5
10. **The Circulation Department.**—The paper is now a manufactured article, and it is the business of this department to develop the market for it. The average number of workers is 16
11. **The Subscription Room.**—All the subscriptions from out-of-town, whether of individual readers or wholesale news agents, pass through this department, and this department employs on the average . . . 17
12. **The Business Office.**—The general clerical work of the paper, such as receiving and caring for the advertisements—of which over fifteen hundred are received and handled every day—receiving and paying out cash, the general bookkeeping of the business, requires a counting-room force of 27
13. **The Care of Building** requires the constant service of three janitors 3
14. **The Watchman.**—To insure perfect protection against risk of fire two watchmen are constantly on duty. 2
15. **The New York Office.**—This engages the entire time of a general manager and assistant 2
16. **The Washington Bureau.**—In charge of its own special Washington staff correspondent 1
17. **The Milwaukee Bureau.**—To facilitate Northwestern news gathering, one man 1

From which it appears that the number of regular employees is 302

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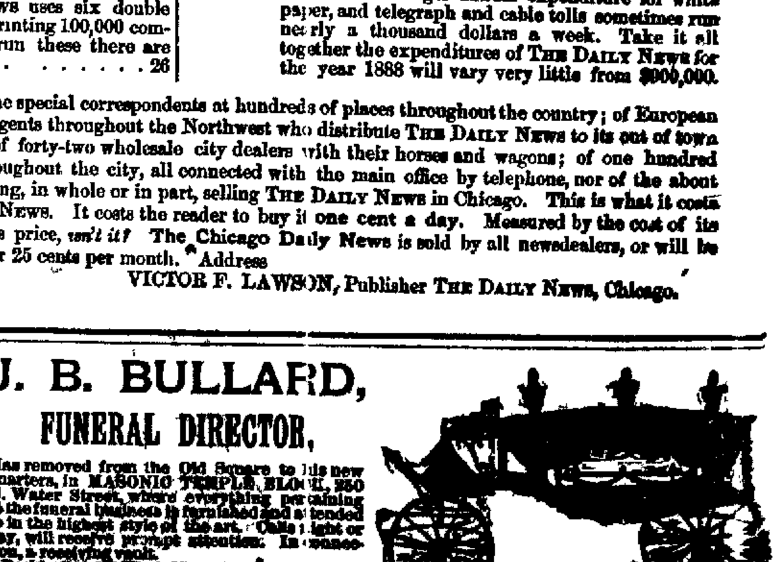

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